Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A compound of formula (I)

$$R^2$$
 R^3
 R^4
 R^4

or a salt thereof;

where X is O, or S, S(O), S(O)₂ or NR^6 where R^6 is hydrogen or C_{1-6} alkyl;

R⁵ is [[or]] a group of sub-formula (iii) or (v)

$$R^{81}$$
 R^{80} R^{81} R^{80} R

where R⁸⁰ is a group of sub-formula (II)

$$(CH_2)_{s'}$$
 X^{12} $(CH_2)_{q'}$ R^{70} R^{99} (II)

where q' is 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4;

s' is 0 or 1;

 X^{12} is C(O) or $S(O_2)$,

 R^{70} is hydrogen, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, amino, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylamino, $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂amino, hydroxy C_{2-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} alkoxy, amino C_{2-6} alkoxy, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂amino C_{2-6} alkoxy or C_{3-7} cycloalkyl,

or R⁷⁰ is of the Formula (III):

wherein J is aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl and K is a bond, oxy, imino, N-(C₁₋₆alkyl)imino, oxyC₁₋₆alkylene, iminoC₁₋₆alkylene, N-(C₁₋₆alkyl)iminoC₁₋₆alkylene, -NHC(O)-, -SO₂NH-, -NHSO₂- or -NHC(O)-C₁₋₆alkylene-,

and any aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl group in a R^{70} group is optionally substituted by one or more groups selected from hydroxy, oxo, halo, trifluoromethyl, cyano, mercapto, nitro, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, formyl, sulphamoyl, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{2-6} alkenyl, C_{2-6} alkynyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, $-O-(C_{1-3}$ alkyl)-O-, C_{1-6} alkylS(O)_n- wherein n is 0-2, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylamino, $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂amino, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylcarbamoyl, $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂carbamoyl, C_{2-6} alkanoyl, C_{1-6} alkanoyloxy, C_{1-6} alkanoylamino, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylsulphamoyl, $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂sulphamoyl, C_{1-6} alkylsulphonylamino and C_{1-6} alkylsulphonyl- $N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)amino, or any aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl group in a R^{70} group is optionally substituted with one or more groups of the Formula (IV):

$$-B^{\frac{1}{2}}(CH_2)_{p}-A^{\frac{1}{2}}$$
 (IV)

wherein A^1 is halo, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkoxy, cyano, amino, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylamino, $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂amino, carboxy, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl, carbamoyl, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylcarbamoyl or $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂carbamoyl, p is 1 - 6, and B^1 is a bond, oxy, imino, $N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)imino or -NHC(O)-, with the proviso that p is 2 or more unless B^1 is a bond or -NHC(O)-;

or any aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl group in a R⁷⁰ group is optionally substituted with one or more groups of the Formula (V):

$$-$$
E $-$ D 1 (V)

wherein D¹ is aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl and E¹ is a bond, C_{1-6} alkylene, oxy C_{1-6} alkylene, oxy, imino, N-(C_{1-6} alkyl)imino, imino C_{1-6} alkylene, N-(C_{1-6} alkyl)-imino C_{1-6} alkylene,

C₁₋₆alkylene-oxyC₁₋₆alkylene, C₁₋₆alkylene-iminoC₁₋₆alkylene,

C₁₋₆alkylene-N-(C₁₋₆alkyl)-iminoC₁₋₆alkylene, -NHC(O)-, -NHSO₂-, -SO₂NH- or

-NHC(O)- C_{1-6} alkylene-, and any aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl group in a R^{70} group is optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxy, halo, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, carboxy, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl, carbamoyl, N- C_{1-6} alkylcarbamoyl, N- $(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂carbamoyl, C_{2-6} alkanoyl, amino, N- C_{1-6} alkylamino and N, N- $(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂amino,

and any C_{3-7} cycloalkyl or heterocyclyl group in a R^{70} group is optionally substituted with one or two oxo or thioxo substituents,

and any of the R⁷⁰ groups defined hereinbefore which comprises a CH₂ group which is attached to 2 carbon atoms or a CH₃ group which is attached to a carbon atom may optionally bear on each said CH₂ or CH₃ group a substituent selected from hydroxy, amino, C₁₋₆alkoxy, *N*-C₁₋₆alkylamino, *N*,*N*-(C₁₋₆alkyl)₂amino and heterocyclyl; or R⁷⁰ may be cycloalkenyl-or alkenyl optionally substituted by aryl; and R⁹⁹ is hydrogen or a group C(O)R⁷⁰ where R⁷⁰ is as defined above;

and

 R^{81} is hydrogen, halo, C_{1-4} alkoxy, cyano, trifluoromethyl, or phenyl, and R^1 , R^2 , R^3 , R^4 are independently selected from halogeno, cyano, nitro, C_{1-3} alkylsulphanyl, $-N(OH)R^7$ - wherein R^7 is hydrogen, or C_{1-3} alkyl, or R^9X^1 - wherein X^1 represents a direct bond, -O-, $-CH_2$ -, -OC(O)-, -C(O)-, -S-, -SO-, $-SO_2$ -, $-NR^{10}C(O)$ -, $-C(O)NR^{11}$ -, $-SO_2NR^{12}$ -, $-NR^{13}SO_2$ - or $-NR^{14}$ -, wherein R^{10} , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} and R^{14} each independently represents hydrogen, C_{1-3} alkyl or C_{1-3} alkoxy C_{2-3} alkyl, provided that at least one of R^1 , R^2 , R^3 and R^4 is a group R^9X^1 - and R^9 is selected from one of the following groups: provided that at least one of R^2 or R^3 is other than hydrogen;

- 1) hydrogen or C₁₋₅alkyl which may be unsubstituted or which may be substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxy, oxiranyl, fluoro, chloro, bromo and amino;
- 2) $-R^aX^2C(O)R^{15}$ wherein X^2 represents -O- or $-NR^{16}$ in which R^{16} represents hydrogen, C_{1-3} alkyl or C_{1-3} alkoxy C_{2-3} alkyl and R^{15} represents C_{1-3} alkyl, $-NR^{17}R^{18}$ or $-OR^{19}$ wherein R^{17} , R^{18} and R^{19} which may be the same or different each represents hydrogen, C_{1-5} alkyl, hydroxy C_{1-5} alkyl; C_{1-3} alkoxy C_{2-3} alkyl;
- 3) -R^bX³R²⁰ wherein X³ represents -O-, C(O) -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -OC(O)-, -NR²¹C(O)_s-, -C(O)NR²²-, -SO₂NR²³-, -NR²⁴SO₂- or -NR²⁵- wherein R²¹, R²², R²³, R²⁴ and R²⁵ each independently represents hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl, hydroxy C₁₋₄alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl and s is 1 or 2 and R²⁰ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₆alkyl, C₂₋₆alkenyl, cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, phenyl or a 5-6-membered saturated heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which C₁₋₆alkyl group may bear 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, cyclopropyl, amino, C₁₋₄alkylamino, C₁₋₄alkanoyldi-C₁₋₄alkylamino, C₁₋₄alkylthio, C₁₋₄alkoxy and which cyclic group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, cyano, C₁₋₄cyanoalkyl, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄hydroxyalkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxy, C₁₋₄alkoxy, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxycarbonyl, C₁₋₄alkoxy, C₁₋₄alkylamino, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)amino, C₁₋₄alkylaminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkyl) aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl) aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl) aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl) aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl) aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl) aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl) aminoC₁₋₄alkoxy and a group -(-O-)_f(R^{b'})_gD² wherein f is 0 or 1, g is 0 or 1 and D² is a C₃₋₆cycloalkyl group or a 5-6-membered saturated heterocyclic group

with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which cyclic group may bear one or more substituents selected from C_{1-4} alkyl;

- 4) $-R^c X^4 R^c X^5 R^{26}$ wherein X^4 and X^5 which may be the same or different are each -O-, C(O), -S-, -SO-, -SO-
- 5) R³² wherein R³² is a 4-6-membered cycloalkyl or saturated heterocyclic ring, linked via carbon or nitrogen, with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which cycloalkyl or heterocyclic group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, cyano, C₁₋₄alkyl, hydroxyC₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkyl, cyanoC₁₋₄alkyl, cyclopropyl,

 $C_{1\text{-}4}alkylsulphonylC_{1\text{-}4}alkyl,\ C_{1\text{-}4}alkoxycarbonyl,\ carboxamido,\ C_{1\text{-}4}aminoalkyl,\ C_{1\text{-}4}alkylamino,\ di(C_{1\text{-}4}alkyl)amino,\ C_{1\text{-}4}alkylaminoC_{1\text{-}4}alkyl,\ C_{1\text{-}4}alkyl,\ di(C_{1\text{-}4}alkyl)aminoC_{1\text{-}4}alkyl,\ di(C_{1\text{-}4}alkyl)aminoC_$

 C_{1-4} alkylamino C_{1-4} alkoxy, di $(C_{1-4}$ alkyl)amino C_{1-4} alkoxy, nitro, amino, C_{1-4} alkoxy,

 C_{1-4} hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, trifluoromethyl, $-C(O)NR^{38}R^{39}$, $-NR^{40}C(O)R^{41}$, wherein R^{38} , R^{39} , R^{40} and R^{41} , which may be the same or different, each represents hydrogen, C_{1-4} alkyl,

hydroxyC₁₋₄alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl, and a group -(-O-)_f(C₁₋₄alkyl)_gringD wherein f is 0 or 1, g is 0 or 1 and ring D is a cyclic group selected from C₃₋₆cycloalkyl, aryl or 5-6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from

- O, S and N, which cyclic group may bear one or more substituents selected from halo and C_{1-4} alkyl;
- 6) -R^dR³² wherein R³² is as defined hereinbefore;
- 7) -ReR32 wherein R32 is as defined hereinbefore;
- 8) -Rf R32 wherein R32 is as defined hereinbefore;
- 9) R³³ wherein R³³ represents a pyridone group, a phenyl group or a 5-6-membered aromatic heterocyclic group, linked via carbon or nitrogen, with 1-3 heteroatoms selected from O, N and S, which pyridone, phenyl or aromatic heterocyclic group may carry up to 5 substituents selected from hydroxy, nitro, halogeno, amino, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxy, C₁₋₄hydroxyalkyl, C₁₋₄aminoalkyl, C₁₋₄alkylamino, C₁₋₄hydroxyalkoxy, oxo, cyanoC₁₋₄alkyl, cyclopropyl, C₁₋₄alkylsulphonylC₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxycarbonyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)amino, C₁₋₄alkylaminoC₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkanoyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkylaminoC₁₋₄alkoxy, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)aminoC₁₋₄alkoxy, carboxy, carboxamido, trifluoromethyl, cyano, -C(O)NR³⁸R³⁹, -NR⁴⁰C(O)R⁴¹, wherein R³⁸, R³⁹, R⁴⁰ and R⁴¹, which may be the same or different, each represents hydrogen, C₁₋₄alkyl, hydroxyC₁₋₄alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl, and a group -(-O-)_f(C₁₋₄alkyl)_gringD wherein f is 0 or 1, g is 0 or 1 and ring D is a cyclic group selected from C₃₋₆cycloalkyl, aryl or 5-6-membered saturated or unsaturated

heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which cyclic group may bear one or more substituents selected from halo and C₁₋₄alkyl;

- 10) -R⁹R³³ wherein R³³ is as defined hereinbefore;
- 11) -R^hR³³ wherein R³³ is as defined hereinbefore;
- 12) -Rⁱ R³³ wherein R³³ is as defined hereinbefore;
- 13) $-R^j X^6 R^{33}$ wherein X^6 represents -O-, -C(O)-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -OC(O)-, -NR^{38'}_C(O)-, -C(O)NR^{39'}_-, -SO₂NR^{40'}_-, -NR^{41'}_SO₂- or -NR^{42'}_-, wherein R^{38'}_-, R^{39'}_-, R^{40'}_-, R^{41'}_- and R^{42'}_- each independently represents hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl, hydroxyC₁₋₃alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl, and R³³ is as defined hereinbefore:
- $\underline{14)}$ -R^kX⁷R³³ wherein X⁷ represents -O-, C(O), -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -NR⁴³C(O)-, -C(O)NR⁴⁴-, -SO₂NR⁴⁵-, -NR⁴⁶SO₂- or -NR⁴⁷-, wherein R⁴³, R⁴⁴, R⁴⁵, R⁴⁶ and R⁴⁷ each independently represents hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl, hydroxyC₁₋₃alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl, and R³³ is as defined hereinbefore;
- 15) -R^mX⁸R³³ wherein X⁸ represents -O-, -C(O)-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -NR⁴⁸C(O)-, -C(O)NR⁴⁹-, -SO₂NR⁵⁰-, -NR⁵¹SO₂- or -NR⁵²-, wherein R⁴⁸, R⁴⁹, R⁵⁰, R⁵¹ and R⁵² each independently represents hydrogen, C_{1-3} alkyl, hydroxy C_{1-3} alkyl or C_{1-3} alkoxy C_{2-3} alkyl, and R³³ is as defined hereinbefore;
- 16) -Rⁿ X⁹Rⁿ R³³ wherein X⁹ represents -O-, -C(O)-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -NR⁵³C(O)-, -C(O)NR⁵⁴-, -SO₂NR⁵⁵-, -NR⁵⁶SO₂- or -NR⁵⁷-, wherein R⁵³, R⁵⁴, R⁵⁵, R⁵⁶ and R⁵⁷ each independently represents hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl, hydroxyC₁₋₃alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl, and R³³ is as defined hereinbefore;
- 17) -R^pX⁹-R^pR³² wherein X⁹ and R³² are as defined hereinbefore;
- 18) C₂₋₅alkenyl which may be unsubstituted or which may be substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxy, fluoro, amino, C₁₋₄alkylamino, N,N-di(C₁₋₄alkyl)amino, aminosulphonyl, N-C₁₋₄alkylaminosulphonyl and N,N-di(C₁₋₄alkyl)aminosulphonyl;
- 19) C₂₋₅alkynyl which may be unsubstituted or which may be substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxy, fluoro, amino, C₁₋₄alkylamino, N,N-di(C₁₋₄alkyl)amino, aminosulphonyl, N-C₁₋₄alkylaminosulphonyl and N,N-di(C₁₋₄alkyl)aminosulphonyl;
- 20) -R^tX⁹R^{t'}R³² wherein X⁹ and R³² are as defined hereinbefore;
- 21) -R^uX⁹ R^{u'}R³² wherein X⁹ and R³² are as defined hereinbefore; and
- 22) $-R^vR^{58}(R^{v'})_q(X^9)_rR^{59}$ wherein X^9 is as defined hereinbefore, q is 0 or 1, r is 0 or 1, and R^{58} is a C_{1-3} alkylene group or a cyclic group selected from cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentylene, cyclohexylene or a 5-6-membered saturated heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which C_{1-3} alkylene group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected

from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno and C_{1.4}alkoxy and which cyclic group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, cyano, C₁₋₄cyanoalkyl, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-4} alkoxy, C_{1-4} alkoxy C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-4} alkylsulphonyl C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-4} alkoxycarbonyl, C_{1-4} aminoalkyl, C_{1-4} alkylamino, di(C_{1-4} alkyl)amino, C_{1-4} alkylamino C_{1-4} alkyl, di(C_{1-4} alkyl)amino C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-4} alkylamino C_{1-4} alkoxy, di(C_{1-4} alkyl)amino C_{1-4} alkoxy and a group -(-O-)_f(C_{1-4} alkyl)_oringD, wherein f is 0 or 1, g is 0 or 1 and ring D is a cyclic group selected from C₃₋₆cycloalkyl, aryl or 5-6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which cyclic group may bear one or more substituents selected from halo and C₁₋₄alkyl; and R⁵⁹ is hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl, or a cyclic group selected from cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl and a 5-6-membered saturated heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which C_{1.3}alkyl group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, C₁₋₄alkoxy and which cyclic group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, cyano, C₁₋₄cyanoalkyl, C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-4} hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-4} alkoxy, C_{1-4} alkoxy C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-4} alkylsulphonyl C_{1-4} alkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxycarbonyl, C₁₋₄aminoalkyl, C₁₋₄alkylamino, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)amino, C₁₋₄alkylaminoC₁₋₄alkyl, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)aminoC₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkylaminoC₁₋₄alkoxy, di(C₁₋₄alkyl)aminoC₁₋₄alkoxy and a group -(-O-)_f(C₁₋₄alkyl)_gringD wherein f is 0 or 1, g is 0 or 1 and D is a cyclic group selected from C₃₋₆cycloalkyl, aryl or 5-6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which cyclic group may bear one or more substituents selected from halo and C₁⊿alkvl:

and wherein R^a , R^b , R^b , R^c , R^c , R^d , R^g , R^j , R^n , R^n , R^p , R^p , R^p , R^t , R^u , R^v and R^v are independently selected from C_{1-8} alkylene groups optionally substituted by one or more substituents selected from hydroxy, halogeno, amino,

R^e R^h, R^k and R^t are independently selected from C₂₋₈alkenylene groups optionally substituted by one or more substituents selected from hydroxy, halogeno, amino, and R^t may additionally be a bond; and

R^f, Rⁱ, R^m and R^u are independently selected from by C₂₋₈alkynylene groups optionally substituted by one or more substituents selected from hydroxy, halogeno, amino; and where a functional group is selected from nitro, cyano, halo, oxo, =CR⁷⁸R⁷⁹, C(O)_xR⁷⁷, OR⁷⁷, S(O)_yR⁷⁷, NR⁷⁸R⁷⁹, C(O)NR⁷⁸R⁷⁹, OC(O)NR⁷⁸R⁷⁹, =NOR⁷⁷, -NR⁷⁷C(O)_xR⁷⁸, -NR⁷⁷CONR⁷⁸R⁷⁹, -N=CR⁷⁸R⁷⁹, S(O)_yNR⁷⁸R⁷⁹ or -NR⁷⁷S(O)_yR⁷⁸ where R⁷⁷, R⁷⁸ and R⁷⁹ are independently selected from hydrogen, optionally substituted hydrocarbyl, optionally substituted heterocyclyl or optionally substituted alkoxy, or R⁷⁸ and R⁷⁹ together form an optionally substituted ring which optionally contains further heteroatoms such as oxygen, nitrogen, S, S(O) or S(O)₂, where x is

an integer of 1 or 2, y is 0 or an integer of 1-3 and where hydrocarbyl, heterocyclyl or alkoxy groups R^{77} , R^{78} and R^{79} as well as rings formed by R^{78} and R^{79} are optionally substituted by halo, perhaloalkyl, mercapto, alkylthio, hydroxy, carboxy, alkoxy, heteroaryl, heteroaryloxy, cycloalkyl, cycloalkenyl, cycloalkynyl, alkenyloxy, alkynyloxy, alkoxyalkoxy, aryloxy where the aryl group may be substituted by halo, nitro, or hydroxy, cyano, nitro, amino, mono- or di-alkyl amino, oximino or $S(O)_y R^{90}$ where y is 0 or an integer of 1-3 and R^{90} is a alkyl; and wherein hydrocarbyl is selected from alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, aralkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkenyl, or combinations thereof.

2-5. (Canceled)

- 6. (Currently amended) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R^1 , R^2 , R^3 , R^4 are independently selected from, halo, cyano, nitro, trifluoromethyl, C_{1-3} alkyl, or other groups from formula $-X^1R^9$ wherein X^1 represents a direct bond, $-O_-$, $-CH_{2^-}$, $-OCO_-$, carbonyl, $-S_-$, $-SO_-$, $-SO_{2^-}$, $-NR^{10}CO_-$, $-CONR^{11}_-$, $-SO_2NR^{12}_-$, $-NR^{13}SO_2_-$ or $-NR^{14}_-$, wherein R^{10} , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} and R^{14} each independently represents hydrogen, C_{1-3} alkyl or C_{1-3} alkoxy C_{2-3} alkyl, and R^9 is selected from one of the following groups:
- 1') hydrogen or C₁₋₅alkyl which may be unsubstituted or which may be substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxy, fluoro or amino,
- 2') C_{1-5} alkyl $X^2C(O)R^{15}$ wherein X^2 represents -O- or -NR¹⁶- In which R¹⁵ represents hydrogen, C_{1-3} alkyl or C_{1-3} alkyl or C_{1-3} alkyl and R⁵ represents C_{1-3} alkyl, -NR¹⁷R¹⁸ or -OR¹⁹ wherein R¹⁷, R¹⁸ and R¹⁹ which may be the same or different each represents hydrogen, C_{1-3} alkyl or C_{1-3} alkoxy C_{2-3} alkyl;
- 3') C₁₋₅alkylX³R²⁰ wherein X³ represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -OCO-, -NR²¹CO-, -CONR²²-, -SO₂NR²³-, -NR²⁴SO₂- or -NR²⁵-, wherein R²¹, R²², R²³, R²⁴ and R²⁵ each independently represents hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl and R²⁰ represents hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl or a 5-6-membered saturated heterocyclic group with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which C₁₋₃alkyl group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno and C₁₋₄alkoxy and which cyclic group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄hydroxyalkyl and C₁₋₄alkoxy; 4') C₁₋₅alkylX⁴C₁₋₅alkylX⁵R²⁶ wherein X⁴ and X⁵ which may be the same or different are each -O-, -S-, -SO₂, -NR²⁷CO-, -CONR²⁸-, -SO₂NR²⁹-, -NR³⁰SO₂- or -NR³¹-, wherein R²⁷, R²⁸, R²⁹, R³⁰ and R³¹ each independently represents hydrogen, C₁₋₃alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl and R²⁶ represents hydrogen or C₁₋₃alkyl;

- 5') R³² wherein R³² is a 5-6-membered saturated heterocyclic group, linked via carbon or nitrogen, with 1-2 heteroatoms, selected independently from O, S and N, which heterocyclic group may bear 1 or 2 substituents selected from oxo, hydroxy, halogeno, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxy, C₁₋₄alkoxyC₁₋₄alkyl and C₁₋₄alkylsulphonylC₁₋₄alkyl;
- 6') C₁₋₅alkylR³² wherein R³² is as defined in (5') above;
- 7') C₂₋₅alkenylR³² wherein R³² is as defined in (5') above;
- 8') C₂₋₅alkynylR³² wherein R³² is as defined in (5') above;
- 9') R³³ wherein R³³ represents a pyridone group, a phenyl group or a 5-6-membered aromatic heterocyclic group, linked via carbon or nitrogen, with 1-3 heteroatoms selected from O, N and S, which pyridone, phenyl or aromatic heterocyclic group may carry up to 5 substituents on an available carbon atom selected from hydroxy, halogeno, amino, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxy, C₁₋₄hydroxyalkyl, C₁₋₄aminoalkyl, C₁₋₄alkylamino, C₁₋₄hydroxyalkoxy, carboxy, trifluoromethyl, cyano, -CONR³⁸³⁴R³⁹³⁵ and -NR⁴⁰³⁶COR⁴¹³⁷, wherein R³⁸³⁴, R³⁹³⁵, R⁴⁰³⁶ and R⁴¹³⁷, which may be the same or different, each represents hydrogen, C₁₋₄alkyl or C₁₋₃alkoxyC₂₋₃alkyl;
- 10') C₁₋₅alkylR³³ wherein R³³ is as defined in (9') above;
- 11') C₂₋₅alkenylR³³ wherein R³³ is as defined in (9') above;
- 12') C_{2-5} alkynyl R^{33} wherein R^{33} is as defined in (9') above;
- 13') $C_{1.5}$ alkyl X^6 R 33 wherein X^6 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -NR 38 :CO-, -CONR 39 -, -SO₂NR 40 -, -NR 41 :SO₂- or -NR 42 -, wherein R 38 -, R 39 -, R 40 -, R 41 and R 42 each independently represents hydrogen, $C_{1.3}$ alkyl or $C_{1.3}$ alkoxy $C_{2.3}$ alkyl, and R 33 is as defined hereinbefore; 14') $C_{2.5}$ alkenyl X^7 R 33 wherein X^7 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -NR 43 CO-, -CONR 44 -, -SO₂NR 45 -, -NR 46 SO₂- or -NR 47 -, wherein R 43 , R 44 , R 45 , R 46 and R 47 each independently represents hydrogen, $C_{1.3}$ alkyl or $C_{1.3}$ alkoxy $C_{2.3}$ alkyl, and R 33 is as defined hereinbefore; 15') $C_{2.5}$ alkynyl X^8 R 33 wherein X^8 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -NR 48 CO-, -C(O)NR 49 -, -SO₂NR 50 -, -NR 51 SO₂- or -NR 52 -, wherein R 48 , R 49 , R 50 , R 51 and R 52 each independently represents hydrogen, $C_{1.3}$ alkyl or $C_{1.3}$ alkoxy $C_{2.3}$ alkyl, and R 33 is as defined hereinbefore; 16') $C_{1.3}$ alkyl X^9 C_{1.3}alkylR 33 wherein X^9 represents -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -NR 53 CO-, -C(O)NR 54 -, -SO₂NR 55 -, -NR 56 SO₂- or -NR 57 -, wherein R 53 , R 54 , R 55 , R 56 and R 57 each independently represents hydrogen, $C_{1.3}$ alkyl or $C_{1.3}$ alkoxy $C_{2.3}$ alkyl, and R 33 is as defined hereinbefore; and 17') $C_{1.3}$ alkyl X^9 C_{1.3}alkylR 32 wherein X^9 and R 32 are as defined in (5') above, provided that at least one of R 2 or R 3 is other than hydrogen.
- 7. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 1, where R¹ is hydrogen and R⁴ is hydrogen, halo, C₁₋₄alkyl or C₁₋₄alkoxy.

- 8-9. (Canceled)
- 10. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 1 or claim 7 wherein R^3 is a group X^1R^9 where X^1 is oxygen.
- 11. (Cancelled)
- 12. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 7 wherein R⁹ is selected from a group (1), (3), (6) or (10).
- 13. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 12 wherein X is NH or O.
- 14-17. (Canceled)
- 18. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 13 wherein R⁵ is a group of formula (iii).
- 19-20. (Canceled)
- 21. (Currently amended) A compound according to claim 13 wherein R⁸⁰ is a group of sub formula (II) which is a group of formula (IIA)

$$(CH_2)_{s'}$$
 N $(CH_2)_{q'}$ R^{70} (IIA)

where s', g' and R⁷⁰ are as defined in claim 1.

where q' is 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4;

s' is 0 or 1;

R⁷⁰ is C₃₋₇cycloalkyl,

or R⁷⁰ is of the Formula (III):

wherein J is aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl and K is a bond, oxy, imino, $N-(C_{1-6}alkyl)imino$, oxy $C_{1-6}alkyl$ ene, imino $C_{1-6}alkyl$ ene, $N-(C_{1-6}alkyl)iminoC_{1-6}alkyl$ ene, -NHC(O)-, -SO₂NH-, -NHSO₂-or -NHC(O)- $C_{1-6}alkyl$ ene-,

$$-B^{\frac{1}{2}}(CH_2)_{p}-A^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

wherein A^1 is halo, hydroxy, C_{1-6} alkoxy, cyano, amino, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylamino, $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂amino, carboxy, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl, carbamoyl, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylcarbamoyl or $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂carbamoyl, p is 1 - 6, and B^1 is a bond, oxy, imino, $N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)imino or -NHC(O)-, with the proviso that p is 2 or more unless B^1 is a bond or -NHC(O)-;

or any aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl group in a R⁷⁰ group is optionally substituted with one or more groups of the Formula (V):

$$--E^{1}D^{1}$$
 (V)

wherein D^1 is aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl and E^1 is a bond, C_{1-6} alkylene, oxy C_{1-6} alkylene, oxy, imino, $N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)imino, imino C_{1-6} alkylene, $N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)-imino C_{1-6} alkylene, oxy,

 $\underline{C_{1\text{-}6}} alkylene - oxyC_{1\text{-}6} alkylene, \ \underline{C_{1\text{-}6}} alkylene - iminoC_{1\text{-}6} alkylene,$

 $\underline{C_{1\text{-}6}} \underline{alkylene} - \underline{N\text{-}(C_{1\text{-}6}} \underline{alkyl}) - \underline{iminoC_{1\text{-}6}} \underline{alkylene}, \ - \underline{NHC(O)\text{-}, \ -NHSO_2\text{-}, \ -SO_2\underline{NH\text{-}or}}$

-NHC(O)- C_{1-6} alkylene-, and any aryl, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl group in a R^{70} group is optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from hydroxy, halo, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} alkoxy, carboxy, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl, carbamoyl, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylcarbamoyl, $N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂carbamoyl, C_{2-6} alkanoyl, amino, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylamino and $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl)₂amino,

and any C_{3-7} cycloalkyl or heterocyclyl group in a R^{70} group is optionally substituted with one or two oxo or thioxo substituents,

and any of the R⁷⁰ groups defined hereinbefore which comprises a CH₂ group which is attached to 2 carbon atoms or a CH₃ group which is attached to a carbon atom may optionally bear on

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each said CH_2 or CH_3 group a substituent selected from hydroxy, amino, C_{1-6} alkoxy, $N-C_{1-6}$ alkylamino, $N,N-(C_{1-6}$ alkyl $)_2$ amino and heterocyclyl; or R^{70} may be cycloalkenyl.

22. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 1 or claim 21 wherein R⁸⁰ includes a group R⁷⁰ and said group is phenyl optionally substituted by halo.

23-25. (Cancelled)

26. (Withdrawn) A method for preparing a compound of formula (I) as defined in claim 1, which method comprises reacting a compound of formula (VII)

where R¹′, R²″, R³″, and R⁴′ are equivalent to a group R¹, R², R³ and R⁴ as defined in relation to formula (I), and R⁸⁵ is a leaving group, with a compound of formula (VIII)

where X and R⁵ are as defined in relation to formula (I).

27-28. (Canceled)

- 29. (Currently amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound according to any one of claims 1, 7, 12, 18, 21 or 3234-6 or salt thereof, in combination with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 30. (Canceled)
- 31. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 1 wherein both R¹ and R⁴ are hydrogen.

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- 32. (Previously presented) A compound according to claim 12 wherein one of R² or R³ is 3-morpholinopropoxy.
- 33-36. (Cancelled)
- 37. (Previously presented) A method for treating colorectal or breast cancer in a warm blooded animal, such as man, in need of such treatment, which comprises administering to said animal an effective amount of a compound according to claim 1, or salt thereof.